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POSITION STATEMENT
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – MARCH 2, 2012

BILL: HB 5315 – An Act Authorizing Planning Commissions to Notify Regional Planning Agencies of Subdivision Applications by Electronic Mail

CCAPA POSITION

CCAPA supports HB – 5315.

OVERVIEW

HB 5315 would amend Connecticut General Statutes Section 8-26b to allow planning commissions to provide the required notice of subdivision applications, where such proposed subdivision abuts or crosses a municipal boundary, to regional planning agencies by electronic mail

ANALYSIS

This bill recognizes the availability of communications tools that can reduce costs and expedite administrative procedures.

FISCAL IMPACT

This bill could reduce municipal or applicant costs for meeting the notifications requirements of CGS Section 8-26b. The bill would have no State fiscal impacts.